

## Calc Weekly Review 4 0910

- 1) **Modeling Data** The stopping distance of an automobile, on dry, level pavement, traveling at a speed  $v$  (kilometers per hour) is the distance  $R$  (meters) the car travels during the reaction time of the driver plus the distance  $B$  (meters) the car travels after the brakes are applied. The table shows the results of an experiment.

Speed, $v$	20	40	60	80	100
Reaction Time Distance, $R$	8.3	16.7	25.0	33.3	41.7
Braking Time Distance, $B$	2.3	9.0	20.2	35.8	55.9

- Use the regression capabilities of your calculator to find a linear model for reaction time distance.
  - Use the regression capabilities of your calculator to find a quadratic model for braking distance.
  - Determine the polynomial giving the total stopping distance  $T$ .
  - Use your calculator to graph the functions  $R$ ,  $B$ , and  $T$  in the same viewing window.
  - Find the derivative of  $T$  and the rates of change of the total stopping distance for  $v = 40$ ,  $v = 80$ , and  $v = 100$ .
  - Use the results of this exercise to draw conclusions about the total stopping distance as speed increases.
- 2) **Pendulum** A 15cm pendulum moves according to the equation  $\theta = 0.2\cos 8t$ , where  $\theta$  is the angular displacement from the vertical in radians and  $t$  is the time in seconds.
- Determine the maximum angular displacement. Explain
  - Find the rate of change of  $\theta$  when  $t = 3$  seconds. Show work.

- 3) **Wave Motion** A buoy oscillates in simple harmonic motion  $y = a \cos(bt)$  as waves move past it. The buoy moves a total of 3.5 feet (vertically) from its low point to its high point. It returns to its high point every 10 seconds. Use the water's surface as the midline.
- Write an equation describing the motion of the buoy if it is at its high point at  $t = 0$ .  
(If you need help, see my wiki under Trig → Trig\_Basics\_Ch3&4 or click the link: [http://mrwing.wikispaces.com/file/view/Trig\\_Basics\\_Ch3%264\\_0910.pdf](http://mrwing.wikispaces.com/file/view/Trig_Basics_Ch3%264_0910.pdf))
  - Determine the velocity of the buoy as a function of  $t$ .
- 4) **Temperature Change** The average temperature in Fairbanks, Alaska, during a typical 365-day year is given by the equation  $y = 37 \sin \left[ \frac{2\pi}{365} (x - 101) \right] + 25$  where  $y$  is the temperature in Fahrenheit and  $x$  is the day of the year.
- On what day is the temperature increasing the fastest?
  - About how many degrees per day is the temperature increasing when it is increasing at its fastest?
- 5) **Particle Motion** The position of a particle moving along a coordinate line is  $s = \sqrt{1 + 4t}$ , with  $s$  in meters and  $t$  in seconds. Find the particle's velocity and acceleration at  $t = 6$  seconds.

## Answers to Calc Weekly Review 4 0910

1)

- a)  $R(v) = 0.417v - 0.02$
- b)  $B(v) = 0.0056v^2 + 0.001v + 0.04$
- c)  $T(v) = 0.0056v^2 + 0.418v + 0.02$
- d) Graph it
- e)  $T'(v) = 0.0112v + 0.418$ ;  $T'(40) \approx 0.866$ ;  $T'(80) \approx 1.314$ ;  $T'(100) \approx 1.538$
- f) Answers will vary

2)

- a) Max is 0.2 radians
- b) 1.45 rad/sec.

3)

- a)  $s(t) = 1.75 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{10}t\right)$
- b)  $v(t) = -0.35\pi \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{10}t\right)$

4)

- a) Day 101
- b) About 0.64 deg/day

5)

- a)  $v(6) = 0.4$  m/sec.
- b)  $a(6) = -0.032$  m/sec<sup>2</sup>